

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Palm Beach County, Florida****Trend of Fatalities, 2000-2004**

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	174	199	198	207	178
	Alcohol-Related	70	75	67	67	67
	Single Vehicle	90	92	105	121	97
	Non-Junction	108	133	118	129	99
	Intersection	50	56	51	57	52
	Intersection-Related	10	7	19	18	23
	Speeding Involved	34	36	31	26	30
	Pedestrians	31	33	26	42	27
	Pedalcyclists	4	13	8	10	8
	Large Truck Involved	12	29	24	24	18
	Roadway Departure	64	55	100	108	101
	Passenger Car Occupants	78	93	86	82	68
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	42	39	51	47	46
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	4	4	3	8	7
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	124	136	140	137	121
	Motorcycle Riders	14	16	24	17	21

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2004**

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2004	112	37	75	0

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2004**

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2004	21	13	8	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2004

	2004			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	178	5	14.31	59
Alcohol-Related	67	5	5.39	56
Single Vehicle	97	4	7.80	55
Non-Junction	99	5	7.96	59
Intersection	52	5	4.18	43
Intersection-Related	23	2	1.85	22
Speeding Involved	30	6	2.41	41
Pedestrians	27	8	2.17	38
Pedalcyclists	8	4	0.64	29
Large Truck Involved	18	4	1.45	43
Roadway Departure	101	3	8.12	57
Passenger Car Occupants	68	5	5.47	53
Light Truck/Van Occupants	46	4	3.70	53
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	7	3	0.56	29
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	121	3	9.73	57
Motorcycle Riders	21	6	1.69	44

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.